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## IN THE ABSTRACT

Page 6, lines 2-8 have been amended as follows:

A grip is provided for a ratchet racket. The grip includes a substrate, a conting surface layer and bonding points. The substrate surface layer is formed of cloth PU. The coating substrate is formed of latex foam, thermoplastic elastomeric foam, rubber or natural leather. The bonding points are evenly distributed between the substrate and the coating surface layer for bonding the substrate and the coating surface layer. The bonding points obstruct movement of water from the substrate to the coating surface layer when subject to pressure.

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